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Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) Yes e) No.
If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 4.

Identification of prior art discussed: Takahashi (US 5,091,618).

Agreement with respect to the claims f) was reached. g) was not reached. h) N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: The applicant agrees to further amend the proposed amended claim 4 by inserting --that forms a placment tab-- between the words, "lip" and "that" in line 1 on page 3 of the proposed amendment. An updated search will be conducted upon receiving a formal response.

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